UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

ERIC H. HOLDER, JR.,

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE :

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, : CIVIL ACTION

Plaintiff,

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V.

JUAN ANTONIO GAONA, : No. 5:10-cv-00494-XR

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Defendant,

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v.

:

PLANNED PARENTHOOD SEXUAL HEALTHCARE,

:

Third-Party Defendant.

PLAINTIFF'S ADR REPORT

TO THE HONORABLE XAVIER RODRIGUEZ, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE:

NOW COMES Plaintiff Eric H. Holder, Jr., Attorney General of the United States of America, in his official capacity, by the undersigned attorneys, and files this Report on Alternative Dispute Resolution, pursuant to Local Rule CV-88 and the Court's Scheduling Order. Plaintiff states as follows:

1. All parties participated in mediation on November 22, 2010. The mediation was facilitated by Dan A. Naranjo. Each of the parties compensated Mr. Naranjo for mediation services provided. The parties did not reach a settlement during the mediation, but all parties continued the negotiations via telephone during November 23-24, 2010. At this time, it appears that all parties have reached an agreement in principle to settle this matter. Final settlement is

anticipated in approximately two weeks when Counsel for Defendant returns from a scheduled vacation. At such time, it is anticipated that all parties will file the appropriate paperwork with this Court reflecting resolution of this matter.

- 2. The undersigned Assistant United States Attorney and Senior Trial Attorney of the Civil Rights Division are responsible for settlement negotiations on behalf of the Plaintiff.
- 3. The undersigned certifies to the Court that the Plaintiff has been informed of ADR procedures available in this district.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 1st day of December 2010 I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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